

## **University of Michigan Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences Nuclear Regulatory Commission Fellowship Program**

The University of Michigan Department of Nuclear Engineering and Radiological Sciences proposes a Graduate Fellowship Program to support two students per year for 4 years. Either MS or PhD students will be supported and the number of each will depend on the quality and number of MS and PhD applicants. The MS students will receive one year (12 months) support with a guarantee of an additional term of support from Department resources. PhD students will be fully supported by the NRC Fellowship during their first and second years. PhD Fellows will be guaranteed two additional years of support from the Department to complete their degrees. PhD Fellows will be encouraged to connect with a research project during their second year. Fellowship support will include 12 months of support at the standard graduate student stipend rate of \$2200/month plus medical benefits plus tuition. A new committee, the NRC Fellowship Committee, will be created to oversee this fellowship program. Prospective NRC Fellows will be identified during the normal graduate student application process and recommended to the NRC Fellowship Committee, which will decide the NRC Fellowship awardees for each academic year.

This Committee will also evaluate the effectiveness of the program by examining standard academic records as well as an exit survey of NRC Fellows when they graduate.